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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK\*  
(POUNDS)

	FREIGHT	TRUCK DEALERS AT TERMINAL	TRUCK & EXPRESS (DIRECT RECEIVERS)	TRUCK LONG ISLAND DUCKS	TOTAL RAIL & TRUCK
JULY 13, 1943	171,361	191,377	346,048	3,200	711,986
SO FAR THIS WEEK:	246,462	325,402	586,578	5,800	1,164,242
SAME DAY LAST WK:	143,439	146,061	479,552	3,800	772,852

\*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS

**NEW YORK:** 12 CARS OF FOWL WERE ON TRACK AT LONG ISLAND CITY AND 1 CAR AT WEEHAWKEN FOR THE NEW YORK LIVE POULTRY TRADE. MOST CARS WERE CONSIGNED TO DEALERS AND OFFERINGS OF FOWL, SPRINGS AND A FEW DUCKS AND ROOSTERS WERE AVAILABLE FOR OPEN MARKET TRADING. ALL SUPPLIES CLEARED UPON ARRIVAL IN AN EXTREMELY FIRM MARKET. ALTHOUGH CEILING PRICES WERE REPORTED BY THE VARIOUS COMMISSION MERCHANTS IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT PAYING PRICES ARE FAR IN EXCESS OF CEILING LEVELS. TRUCK RECEIPTS TO DEALERS WERE FAIRLY LIBERAL WITH BULK OF SUPPLIES CONSISTING MOSTLY OF SPRINGS. TRADING GENERALLY SLOW AND AVAILABLE SUPPLIES OFFERED FOR THE OPEN MARKET WERE NOT ENTIRELY CLEARED AT THE CLOSE. BUYERS WERE FORCED TO MAKE PURCHASES OF SPRINGS IN ORDER TO GET SOME FOWL. ALTHOUGH SOME CONCESSIONS WERE OFFERED, PRICES WERE FAR IN EXCESS OF CEILING WITH THE GREATER PORTION OF THE ARRIVALS GOING OUT AT PREVAILING FIGURES PLUS SHRINKAGE, FED WEIGHT OR ADDITIONAL POUNDAGE ADDED PER COOP IN LIEU OF FEED. THE UNDERTONE REMAINS UNSETTLED. THE 30 $\frac{1}{2}$  TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED: 20 DELAWARE CROSS, 3 MARYLAND CROSS, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  VIRGINIA CROSS, 1 VERMONT CROSS AND REDS WITH A FEW FOWL, 1 DELAWARE RED,  $\frac{1}{2}$  VIRGINIA RED, 1 NEW YORK ROCKS WITH A FEW LEGHORNS AND RED SPRINGS AND A FEW LEGHORN FOWL; 1 WEST VIRGINIA ROCKS, TOTAL 30 SPRINGS;  $\frac{1}{4}$  LONG ISLAND DUCKS. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 266,091 POUNDS. FOLLOWING PRICES ARE BASED ON MAXIMUM OPA CEILING LEVELS AND DO NOT REFLECT ACTUAL SELLING VALUES: BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS 32, FOWL 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ , A FEW OLD ROOSTERS 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ , DUCKS 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ , YOUNG HENS AND TOM TURKEYS 39 $\frac{1}{2}$ , RABBITS 30, A FEW SELECTED 33-35.

**PHILADELPHIA:** LIVE POULTRY TRADING WAS VERY LIGHT IN VOLUME. DEMAND WAS EXCELLENT AS RETAIL OUTLETS PLEADED FOR GOODS BUT RECEIVERS HAD PRACTICALLY NO SUPPLIES AND WERE BECOMING DISCOURAGED. A FIRM MARKET TONE PREVAILED. RECEIPTS FOR JULY 13, 139,149 LBS BY TRUCK, 2184 LBS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 141,333 LBS. CORRESPONDING DAY LAST WEEK: 133,927 LBS BY TRUCK, 411 LBS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 134,338 LBS (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTER-MARKET DISTRIBUTION). REPORTED WHOLESALE PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: FOWL 28-28 $\frac{1}{2}$ , ROASTERS, FRYERS AND BROILERS, 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ -32, OLD ROOSTERS AND STAGS 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ -24 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

**BALTIMORE:** LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS LIGHT, MARKET FIRM, PRICES UNCHANGED.

**BOSTON:** POULTRY MARKET SHOWED NO MATERIAL CHANGE THIS MORNING. SUPPLIES WERE OF FAIR VOLUME IN SOME PLACES WHILE THEY WERE VERY LIGHT IN OTHERS. INVENTORIES CONSISTED MOSTLY OF LIGHT WEIGHT CHICKENS WITH A FEW FOWL AND A FEW HEAVY CHICKENS, AND WERE BEING RESERVED ALMOST ENTIRELY FOR RETAIL PURPOSES. PRICES UNCHANGED. RECEIPTS FOR YESTERDAY TOTALED 37,309 LBS.

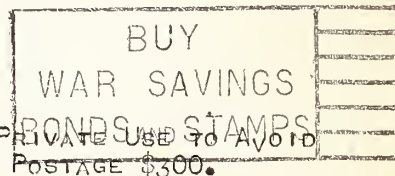
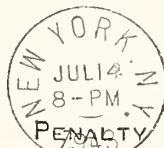
**WASHINGTON:** LIVE POULTRY MARKET STEADY. RECEIPTS LIGHT. SOME BROILERS AND FRYERS 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

**CHICAGO:** RECEIPTS JULY 14, INCLUDING TWO CARS BY RAIL ALONG WITH TRUCK & EXPRESS AMOUNTED TO 159,361 LBS. COMPARISON OF A WEEK AGO WAS 150,233 LBS. WHILE A YEAR AGO THE VOLUME WAS APPROXIMATELY 269,500 LBS. THE PROPORTION COMING BY RAIL APPEARS SOMEWHAT LARGER THAN USUAL. SUPPLIES TODAY WHILE CONSISTING LARGELY OF OLD STOCK DID HAVE A FAIR PROPORTION OF CHICKENS ALL OF WHICH CLEARED READILY.

NEW YORK CITY PRICES ARE BROADCAST FROM WGY, SCHENECTADY DAILY AT 6:20 P.M., WOR, NEW YORK CITY AT 6:30 A.M. DAILY, AND WHCU, ITHACA, AT 12 NOON THE FOLLOWING DAY

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